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On June 10, 1904, at Habana from Veracruz. A very suspicious case removed to Las Animas Hospital. Last reported as still under observation.

See Public Health Reports, 1902, page 2008; 1903, pages 1152, 1194; 1904, page 1167.

Weekly report—Inspection of vessels—Case of measles on schooner Addie F. Code from Tampa.

Week ended September 24, 1904:

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued	18
Crew of outgoing vessels inspected	741
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected	369
Pieces of baggage passed	55

The case of eruptive fever reported in my letter of September 22, as occurring in one of the crew of the American schooner Addie F: Code, from Tampa, was diagnosed by the commission as measles.

Mortuary report of Habana for the week ended September 24, 1904.

Disease.	Number of deaths.
Tuberculosis Meningitis Bronchitis Cancer Pernicious fever Pneumonia Diphtheria	13 8 2 5 5 2 2

Total number of deaths, 34.

Mortality in Habana for the month of May, 1904—Infant mortality.

The following is received from Minister Squiers, under date of

September 13:

The total mortality in the district of Habana during the month of May, 1904, amounted to 478, 37 less than in the preceding thirty-one days, but 27 more than in May, 1903. The daily average is equivalent to the annual death rate of 20.58 per thousand of population. Enteritis and nervous diseases caused some of the increase of deaths in May, 1904, compared with the same month last year. The present year, however, shows a decrease in deaths from tuberculosis and enteric fever. Deaths of infants under one year of age rose from 70 to 131. This sudden rise in infant mortality has caused an investigation to be made on the subject by the sanitary department, and, although the result is not as yet known, the cause for said mortality will be found in the lack of good milk and overwork of the young mothers.

The health of the rest of the island continues good.

Seventy municipalities report 1,984 deaths, corresponding to the low annual death rate of 16.42 per thousand of population.

No quarantinable diseases either occurred on the island or were imported during that month.